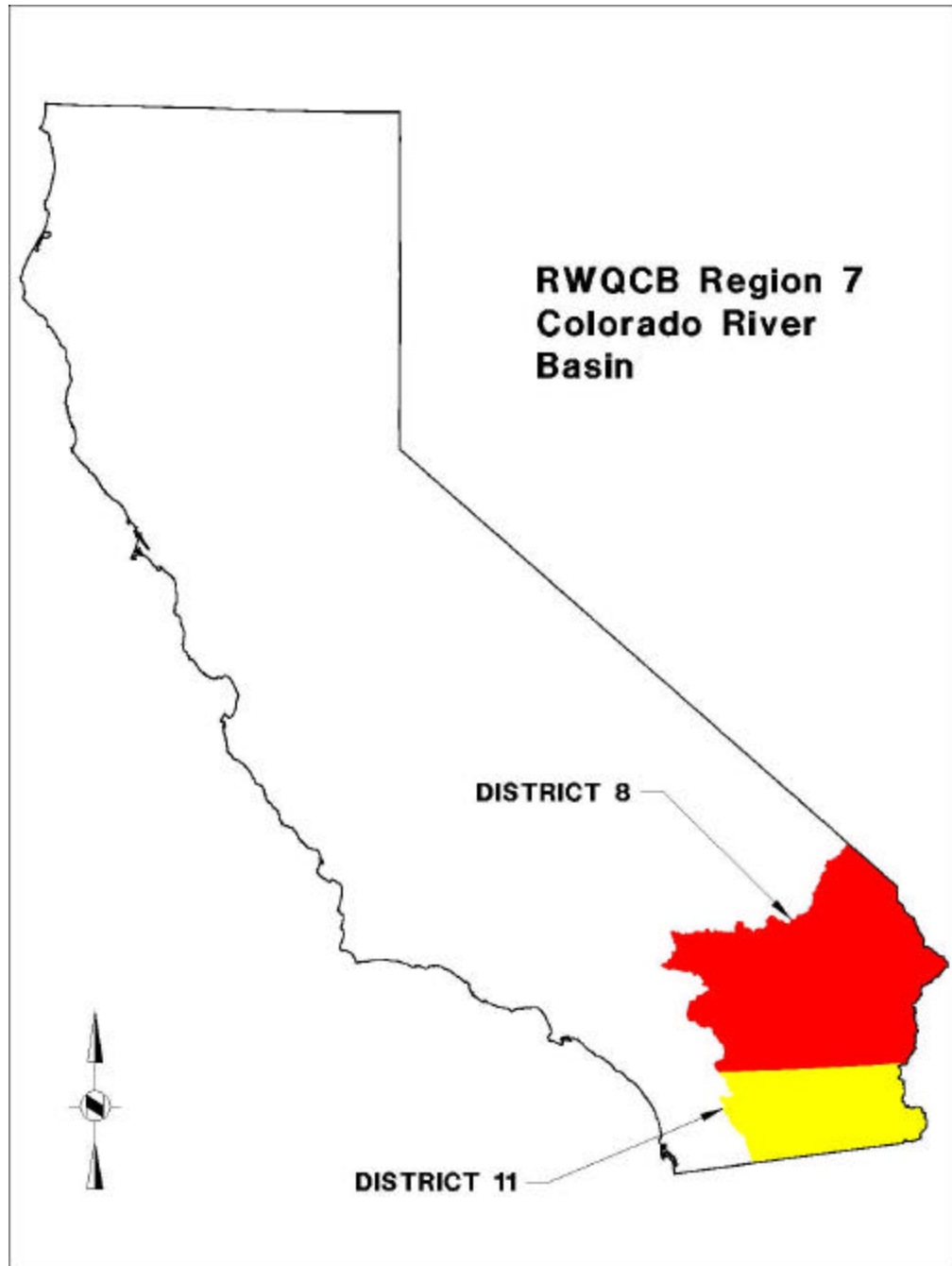


RWQCB REGION REGION 7 – COLORADO RIVER BASIN**CALTRANS DISTRICTS** 8, 11

COUNTIES District 8: Southern San Bernardino (except southwestern portion),
Riverside (except for far western portion); and District 11: Imperial, and
far eastern portion of San Diego.



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NPDES Permitting Requirements for Dewatering Discharges:

Discharges consisting solely of storm water (accumulated precipitation) or *minor discharges* of non-storm water (groundwater, water from cofferdams, water diversions, etc.) containing sediment as the only pollutant, are allowed to be discharged under the NPDES Statewide Permit for Caltrans, as described in Section 3.6. As described in Section 2.3, a *minor discharge* in Region 7 is defined as less than 0.25 mgd and 4 months duration.

Major discharges of non-storm water, or storm water or non-storm water discharges containing pollutants other than sediment, require a site-specific dewatering permit from the RWQCB.

General NPDES Dewatering Permit(s):

None. Site-specific NPDES permits only.

Site-Specific NPDES Dewatering Permit(s):

How to Apply: Contact the RWQCB.